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Public Hearing on 2009 City Budget Set For Monday Evening at City Hall

Residents will be speaking directly to the mayor, Common Council members, and other elected city officials when they weigh in on the proposed 2009 city budget during a joint public hearing at **6:30 p.m. on Monday, October 20**, in the Milwaukee Common Council Chamber at City Hall, 200 E. Wells St.

Residents wishing to speak during the joint hearing will be asked to sign in first, and a time limit may be imposed.

Access for persons with disabilities is provided through the Market Street entrance to the Zeidler Municipal Building, directly across from City Hall. Take the elevator to the basement and follow the signs to City Hall.

The Common Council's Finance and Personnel Committee will take up amendments on the 2009 budget at 9 a.m. in room 301-B at City Hall on Thursday, October 30 and – if necessary – on Friday, October 31, at 9:00 a.m. (also in room 301-B). The Council will meet in the Council Chamber starting at 9 a.m. on Friday, November 7 to adopt a budget.

City of Milwaukee residents can watch all of the hearings on the city's 2009 proposed budget on **City Channel 25**, on Time Warner Cable in the city of Milwaukee and on AT&T U-Verse Channel 99. Meetings will be carried live on Channel 25 and U-Verse Channel 99, and each day's hearings will be replayed the same day starting at 7 p.m.